Mentor United Methodist Church
February 10, 2019

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany of Our Lord.
The liturgical color is green, signifying life and growth in the Christian church.

GATHERING

Prelude  
“Tune for the Oboe”  Gilbert Martin
Amy Bender, organist

Lighting of the Candles
Presentation of God’s Holy Word

Please sign and pass the attendance pad that you find at the end of each pew.
If you are joining us for the first time today, please complete the blue sheet.

Welcome & Announcements

* Call to Worship  Rev. Beverly Wrobel, Liturgist

Leader: What do you do, when God calls?
People: Wake up. Listen.
Leader: What do you do when God asks you to do something difficult?
People: Wake up. Listen.
Leader: What do you do when God asks you to do something impossible?
People: Wake up. Listen.

* Prayer (unison)
Lord, help us to learn to listen better (pause). Amen

* Opening Hymn 77  “How Great Thou Art”  HOW GREAT THOU ART

Anthem 9:00  “Inception”  Canticle Bells
Jason W. Krug

11:00  “Lord, Here Am I”  Chancel Choir
John Ness Beck

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Scripture Reading  Old Testament page 192  I Samuel 3:1-10
Leader: The word of God for the people of God.
People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon  “Whisper: Hearing God”  Rev. Kurt Landerholm

Response to the Word

* Hymn 451  “Be Thou My Vision”  SLANE

Sharing Joys and Concerns
Morning Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,
for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever.
Amen.

Presentation of Our Tithes and Gifts

Offertory 9:00 “Prayer” Arnold Sherman
Canticle Bells

11:00 “Speak, O Lord” arr. Mary McDonald
Chancel Choir

* Doxology
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

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* Choral Benediction
Go now in peace. Never be afraid.
God will go with you each hour of every day.
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong, and true.
Know He will guide you in all you do.
Go now in love, and show you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world can see.
God will be there watching from above.

* Postlude “Toccata” Gordon Young

* Members of the congregation stand if able.

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